



State of Utah

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March 26, 2019

MuckRock News
Dept MR 71759
411 A Highland Ave
Somerville, MA 02144-2516

RE: Request for open cases of missing American Indian/Alaska Native persons

Dear Dept MR 71759 ,

This letter serves as an official response to your request for records, pursuant to the Utah Government Records Access Management Act (GRAMA). With regard to your request, the Bureau of Criminal Identification (BCI) has determined that Utah Criminal History Records are exempt records under Utah Code Ann. § 63G-2-201(6)(a).

Accordingly you are not entitled to access to these records as indicated by Utah Code Ann. § 63G-2-202(4) and your request is hereby denied. Furthermore, dissemination of the information contained in the records that you have requested is restricted by Utah Code Ann. § 53-10-108(b). Release of these records must be specifically authorized by a court order signed by a Utah judge.

You would need to send a request to all Law Enforcement agencies in Utah for additional information.

As required by Utah Code Ann. § 63G-2-205, this denial serves as notice to you, and you have the right to appeal this decision of denial within 30 days. Any appeal should be directed to Commissioner Jess L. Anderson, 4501 South 2700 West, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lauralee Blue".

Lauralee Blue
Records Supervisor-BCI

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April 15, 2019

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Government Records Access and Management Act, I hereby request the following records:

Basic information on all cases (open and closed) of missing American Indian/Alaska Native persons (including juveniles) within the state, from 2000 through 2019; this basic information can include but is not limited to: person name, age, DOB, incident date, case closure date, county/jurisdiction in which person was reported missing.

The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 10 business days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

Sovereign Bodies Institute

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